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EGYPTIAN BAND.

This is the only Professional "Brass Band" in Southern Illinois, and it is now ready and prepared to furnish music in any numbers for

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SOUTHERN ILLINOIS NORMAL UNIVERSITY.

CARROLLDALE, Jackson County, May 15, 1874.

On condition that a sufficient number of young persons desire, and are willing to contribute a very small sum toward defraying expenses, a Normal Institute will be held in the new building, commencing July 1st, the day of dedicating the buildings, and continue till July 15th. The Principal of the University will have charge, and the members of the faculty will give the main part of the instruction. At least ten lectures will be given, and if the cash contributed is sufficient, the best men of this state, Missouri and Indiana, will be brought in for these lectures.

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Mrs. Cahill's house was one of the best in the row, and could not be built to-day for less than \$2,000. There was \$1,500 insurance on the building, but in what company we were unable to ascertain.

Mrs. Osborn, who occupied several rooms in one of Mrs. Nassani's houses, had \$200 insurance on her furniture. She lost everything.

In all thirteen families were rendered homeless by the fire. Of this number four lost everything they had in the world. Mr. Roberts and family who lived in the house where the fire originated, were driven from their home, not even so much as saving a change of clothing. A widow lady named Patterson and her son, and a German family named Seombs also lost all they possessed. These are all poor but worthy people and their losses fall with tenfold severity on them just now when times are so hard.

Mrs. Cahill, who kept a boarding house

The Bulletin.

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WANTED.

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IS BRIEF.—Hot, hotter, hottest.

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The base ballers are out every evening practicing. A match game will be played soon.

Old John Robinson's circus gives employment to over two hundred men. During their stay in Cairo, their forty performers will put up at the St. Charles hotel, while the rest, about 170 will camp out. It requires two bullocks a day to feed them.

PERSONAL.—John Carter and John Lingar, of Mount City, were in attendance at the circuit court yesterday.

—Capt. James Laning, of La Salle, Ill., is in the city visiting his daughter, Mrs. H. H. Canine.

—Old John Robinson's agent, Joseph, has gone to Anna, Union county, to "bill" that town for the big show.

—Miss Gattie Woodward started on Sunday on an extended northern tour. She will visit several of the principal places of interest in the far east before returning.

—Mr. J. R. Cunningham, who has been studying law for some time past, will, we understand, soon go into the office of Mulvey & Son for the purpose of finishing his course, preparatory to being admitted to practice.

THE PROBATION.—Judge Baker announced yesterday morning that he was not prepared to give his decision in the railroad bond injunction case. He had been absent from the city, and had not sufficiently investigated the matter. He would give his attention to it and give his decision in the morning—this morning.

—Sam Humm has returned from the theatrical business, and returned to Cairo. Humm has been playing the role of advertising agent for the Susan Denin troupe, and as the season is about over, and the troupe is about to disband, he left them the other day at Paducah and is now in the city.

—Sheriff Irvin has received a letter from the interior of Texas stating that \$1,000 in gold, and a reward of \$500, has been placed to his credit and will be delivered to him if he will go to Texas and capture a man that is wanted there. It will be seen by this that Humm's reputation as a thief-taker is not confined to this part of the country. The people of Alexander county have a right to feel proud of their sheriff.

COFFINS, CASKETS, And metallic cases at Wilcox's block at much less than usual prices 45-6-14

TO RENT.

A furnished house, No. 30, Thirteenth street. Apply to Mrs. Kate Sundusky. 55-5-14-15

WILCOX.

TEN pounds of brown sugar for \$1; 8 pounds best coffee sugar at \$1; 4 pounds of choice butter at \$1; baking powder 45c per lb; Imperial tea at \$1; 34c coffee \$1 at Wilcox's Block. 107-2-4-1m.

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ICE CREAM PARLOR.

T. B. Ellis, at the Arlington house, hereby announces that he has opened an ice cream parlor at the Arlington house for the accommodation of the public. Families supplied. All orders promptly attended to. 71-5-17-14

FOR SALE.

A new house containing three rooms and side porch, two good lots, electric and stable. The property is situated on Twenty-first street between Walnut and Cedar streets. For further particulars inquire on the premises. 31-5-7-1m

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AUCTION.

Furniture, dry goods, boots and shoes this morning at my saleroom at 9 o'clock, and to-night at 7 o'clock I will sell two dining room extension tables, 22 feet long, three dozen cane-seated chairs, two dozen stool bottom chairs, two sofa rockers, two wash stands, two bureaus, twelve kitchen chairs, one kitchen table, one No. 9 Mayflower cook stove, etc. To-night I will sell a lot of boots, shoes, dry goods, notions, carpenter's tools, etc. LOUIS H. MYERS, Auctioneer. 44-6-6-14

SOLD OUT.

Having sold out my office and practice to Dr. J. J. Jennelle, of DuQuoin, who will take possession of the office the 12th of June, I bespeak for Dr. Jennelle a liberal share of public patronage. I am well acquainted with him and know him to be a first-class dentist, and would most cheerfully recommend him to all of my friends and patrons. G. E. DOUGLAS, NOTICE.

All those indebted to me and all those having accounts against me are requested to call and settle as I have sold out and intend going away the 12th of June. 39-6-4-14

G. E. DOUGLAS.

MUSIC.

G. C. Boden, Director of Conservatory of Music, and Teacher of Vocal, Organ and Piano Music. Instruction given in all stringed and wind instruments. Elementary principles, thorough bass, harmony and counter point. Unprecedented inducements offered. Those wishing to secure his services will please apply at the Conservatory of Music corner of Twelfth Street and Washington Avenue. Pianos tuned and repaired.

Mosquito wire screen cloth at Halley's cheaper than the cheapest. 56-4-17-1m

NOTICE.

ILLINOIS CENTRAL RAILROAD CO., AGENTS OFFICE, CAIRO, JUNE 4, 1874.

On and after Saturday, June 6th, until further notice, the first express train will be abandoned. Fruit cars will be run on the through freight train leaving Cairo at 4 p. m. Shippers of fruit and vegetables will please govern themselves accordingly. 41-6-5-4

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